



Docket No.: 066765-0110

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicant : LOEB, Lawrence A., et al.

Customer No.: 41552

Appl. No. : 09/972,834

Confirmation No.: 5445

Filed : October 04, 2001

Title : THERMOSTABLE POLYMERASES  
HAVING ALTERED FIDELITY  
AND METHODS OF IDENTIFYING  
AND USING SAME

Grp./A.U. : 1634

Examiner: : FREDMAN, Jeffrey Norman

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL  
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TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated March 2, 2004 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 51-58, 67 and 96-102.

Appeal Fee: \$ \$330.00

- ☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application).
- ☒ Charge to Deposit Account No. 502624.

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